



Educational Program for School Year 2011-2012 at Morristown NHP

Location: Jockey Hollow Unit of Morristown NHP—Visitor Center and Wick House
(This program does NOT include the Washington's Headquarters unit)

Who: Elementary school classes studying the American Revolution, 4th and 5th grade

When: Tuesdays thru Friday beginning in November 2009 (dependent on park staffing)

Length of program: Approximately two and one half hours, beginning at 10:00 am.

One to two classes per program—NO MORE THAN FIFTY TOTAL STUDENTS

If there are two classes or more than twenty five students, the group will be divided and alternate with the other group. (That is, one group/class will participate in the Visitor Center portion of the program while the other group/class will participate in the Wick House portion—when each respective session is concluded, the groups will switch places.)

The program involves exercises involving role play and use of appropriate reproduction objects to help students learn to appreciate the activities of and sacrifices made by the officers, soldiers and civilians involved in the 1779-80 encampment at Jockey Hollow.

PLEASE NOTE: A school can bring as many as FIFTY STUDENTS per visit—these students would be divided in half for the purposes of the program. Fifty students would be the maximum amount of students allowed in any given visit, and would require eight adult supervisors, including teachers.

Though the ranger will provide a worksheet for the students to do and there will be a staff person in the building, the Wick House portion of the program will be primarily directed and supervised by the teachers and adult supervisors.

There is a fee of \$50.00 per class—further information on this is provided once a reservation is made.

Reservations requests are to be made by contacting the Park Education Specialist at thomas_winslow@nps.gov. Please provide at least three date options as part of your request. After the reservation is made, preparatory information will be sent to the supervising teacher.

A **Teacher Guide** is available with posters and cards which are needed to complete the activities described in the guide. View a PDF copy (without the posters) on our park web site:

<http://www.nps.gov/morr/forteachers/loader.cfm?csModule=security/getfile&PageID=214314>

There will be an optional Teacher Workshop offered in October to provide an opportunity for staff and educators to review the program.

If you have any questions, please contact Park Ranger/Education Specialist Thomas Winslow, Morristown National Historical Park 30 Washington Place, Morristown NJ 973 285 0126
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